

Baldwin, A.H.

July 11, 1903

212 Eglinton Rd  
Plumstead,  
Woolwich  
July 11<sup>th</sup> '03

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge  
with thanks the receipt of your  
draft in payment for the  
1496  $\text{£}\frac{1}{2}$ .

I have this day taken  
the Syracusan dekadrachm  
which you returned as being  
a counterfeit, and compared  
it with the British Museum  
specimens, in the presence of  
Mr. Barclay V. Head, and Mr.  
G. F. Hill, and find that it is  
from the same die as their  
specimen without the "Kön-  
ig" diadem, as evidenced by the  
flaw over the left eye and

a small flaw over one of  
the dolphins.

Both these gentlemen  
agreed with me in consid-  
ering the piece genuine, tho'  
the field of the coin on obv.  
lacks the usual sunken  
appearance.

I am gratified to find  
that you were mistaken,  
as I should be very sorry  
to offer, even unwittingly,  
a false piece without de-  
scribing it as such.

Yours very truly  
A. H. Baldwin

Baldwin  
London

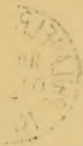
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Messrs S. H. & H. Chapman  
No. 1348 Pine St.  
Philadelphia  
U. S. A.



Baldwin, A. H.

September 14, 1903



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A. H. BALDWIN,  
4A, DUNCANNON ST, CHARING CROSS,  
LONDON, W.C.

→ COINS AND STAMPS ←  
Bought, sold and exchanged,  
Old Gold and Silver bought,  
Collections purchased.

to Chapman,

Your letter arrived  
safely on Saturday  
evening. Thanks to the  
officials of our P.O. Apparently there was  
a delay but of course you made it  
very plain. Will follow out your  
instructions re packing & forwarding  
with pleasure. Very little has come in  
yet to interest you but of course there  
is a fortnight nearly.  
Trusting you will have a pleasant  
safe passage I am  
Yours sincerely  
A. H. Baldwin

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c/o Adolph Hess

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Baldwin, A.H.

August 15, 1904

Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> 1904

Memo. from A. H. BALDWIN,

6 DUNCANNON STREET, LONDON, W.C. 6

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Messrs S. H. & H. Chapman  
Dear Sirs,

Yours of the 28<sup>th</sup> ult. has been sent on to me at Folkestone where I am taking a holiday. I thank you for the trouble you have taken in this matter. I would do the same for you on this side, should occasion arise.

Since receiving yours I have had a letter from Wm. E. Hidden of 25 Orleans St. Newark N. J. who has recently purchased a Templeton and offering to return the piece to me if I can prove it to be mine. I have communicated with him and will apprise you of the result. Is this the collector you referred to?

Yes the McIsaac in Cow's list was mine. I have sent to him for the last 16 years and have always found him a fair buyer. I have a few interest things



on hand and will send you particulars  
on my return.

I have seen the Express Co's Manager  
and given them particulars of contents  
of your letter as I felt their people on  
your side would the better be able to  
make inquiries with this information.  
Surely however secretive a man  
your customer may be, he would  
not like to handle stolen property  
picked up cheap.

The parcel left here on May 14<sup>th</sup> which  
contained the Reid piece. It  
would probably be in the N.Y. custom  
about May 24<sup>th</sup> and I have no doubt  
the thief would realize on the piece at once.  
Yes I think the better way would be,  
for you to advise the U.S. Treasury of the  
name of the collector who has lately ac-  
quired a Reid \$5. If he is an honest  
man he will not object to say how he  
came by it.

The parcel was sent by American Express  
Co. Waterloo Place, and Row stated the coin  
was missing when he unpacked the parcel  
in the presence of one of his clerks, on the other  
hand the Express people say the parcel being a  
"duty free" one passed the customs unopened.

With many thanks, Faithfully yours  
J. H. Baldwin  
Will send particulars of what I have to witness  
on my return.

Baldwin

Accept  
\$2.50  
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Baldwin, A.H. / Brown

August 18, 1904

W.E. Brown of the American Express Co.

is attempting to track down a lost/stolen  
coin of Mr. Baldwin's, which was being  
shipped to Lyman H. Low,  
but had also once been in Chapman's possession.



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August 18th, 1904-

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Philadelphia, Pa.-

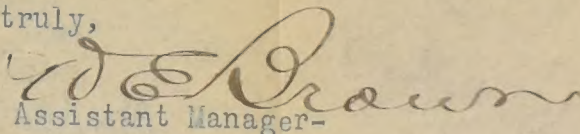
Gentlemen:-

We are endeavoring to locate the present whereabouts of a gold coin which was lost or stolen from a package shipped by Mr. A. H. Baldwin of London to L. H. Low of this city, and we are advised by Mr. Baldwin that a coin of great similarity to the one missing was, sometime ago, offered for delivery to you and was, for a time, in your possession.

Will you be good enough to advise us by return who proffered the coin to you, giving us his local address in this city, if he is a resident here, and any further information that you think will assist us.

Thanking you in advance, we remain,

Yours truly,



Assistant Manager-

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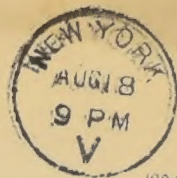


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NEW YORK.



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Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1348 Pine Street,

Philadelphia, Pa. -

Baldwin, A.H.

August 25, 1905

Empty Envelope

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